



INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant: Merrill et al.

App. No : 10/659,711

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For : ANTIBACTERIAL THERAPY WITH
BACTERIOPHAGE GENOTYPICALLY
MODIFIED BY GENETIC ENGINEERING
TO DELAY INACTIVATION BY THE
HOST DEFENSE SYSTEM

Examiner : Snyder, Stuart

Art Unit : 1648

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